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PATENT APPLICATION  
Docket No. 9898-168  
Client No. SS-14016-US

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re application of: Sang-Hoon Lee                      Conf. No.      3609  
Serial No.                      09/696,816                      Examiner:      Paladini, Albert William  
Filed:                      October 25, 2000                      Art Unit:      2125  
For:                      SIMPLIFIED METHOD FOR EXTRACTING MODEL  
PARAMETER SETS AND METHOD FOR STATISTICALLY  
SIMULATING INTEGRATED CIRCUIT USING THE SAME

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**AMENDMENT**

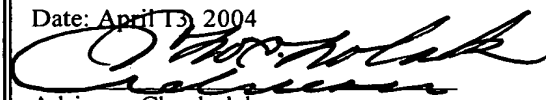
Responsive to the Office Action, Paper No. 6, dated January 20, 2004, please amend the application as follows.

**Claim** amendments begin on page 2.

**Remarks** begin on page 6.

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The fee has been calculated as shown below.

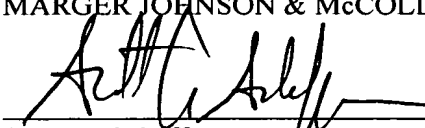
| CLAIMS AS AMENDED                       |                        |                 |       |          |                |
|-----------------------------------------|------------------------|-----------------|-------|----------|----------------|
| For:                                    | Number After Amendment | Previous Number | Extra | Rate     | Additional Fee |
| Total Claims                            | 12                     | 12              | 0     | x \$18 = | \$0.00         |
| Independent Claims                      | 3                      | 3               | 0     | x \$86 = | \$0.00         |
| TOTAL ADDITIONAL FEE FOR THIS AMENDMENT |                        |                 |       |          | \$0.00         |

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